State of California Regional Water Quality Control Board San Diego Region

> EXECUTIVE OFFICER SUMMARY REPORT November 12, 2003

ITEM: 10

SUBJECT: Modification to Waste Discharge Requirements: General Waste

Discharge Requirements for Post-Closure Maintenance of Inactive Landfills Containing Hazardous and Nonhazardous Waste within the San Diego Region: Former MCRD/NTC Landfill (change in discharger), Rainbow Canyon Landfill (change in discharger), and San Pasqual Academy Burn Ash Site (new enrollee) (tentative

Addendum No. 4 to Order 97-11) (Brian McDaniel)

PURPOSE: To amend Regional Water Quality Control Board (Regional

Board) Order No. 97-11 to reflect the transfer of responsibility related to a change of ownership for two landfills regulated under Order No. 97-11 and the enrollment of a previously unregulated landfill (burn-ash site) to be regulated under the Order (Attachment

2).

PUBLIC NOTICE: A notice was added to the Notification Section of the Regional

Board agenda for the September 10, 2003 meeting. In addition, October 5, 2003 notices of a Public Hearing (Attachment 4) were published in the San Diego Union Tribune, Orange County

Register, the Press-Enterprise (Riverside County).

DISCUSSION: On April 9, 1997, this Regional Board adopted Order No. 97-11,

"General Waste Discharge Requirements for Post-Closure

Maintenance of Inactive Nonhazardous Waste Landfills within the San Diego Region." Order No. 97-11 and subsequent addenda established landfill maintenance requirements and water quality monitoring for former landfills and burn sites that ceased operation prior to 1984. The State Water Resources Control Board and the Regional Boards have regulated Hazardous and Nonhazardous

solid waste landfills and burn dumps since the 1960's.

The Naval Training Center (NTC) landfill, also known as the Marine Corps Recruit Depot (MCRD) landfill, is currently regulated under Order No. 97-11. By letter dated March 26, 2003, (Attachment 5) the Regional Board was notified that that the San Diego Unified Port District (Port) had transferred operations of Lindbergh Field to the San Diego County Regional Airport Authority (the "Authority"). The letter from the Authority also indicates it will assume responsibility for ensuring that the NTC/MCRD Landfill complies with requirements of Order 97-11 (and addenda thereto) under a 66-year lease.

The Rainbow Canyon Landfill is currently regulated under Order No. 97-11. Ownership of the property was transferred to a trust in August of 1994. Title records, submitted by the former owner -Dr. Grewal, indicate that Rupinder Uppal and Sudeep Dhillon are the co-Trustees of the 333 Trust (Attachment 6).

On June 19, 2002, the County of San Diego submitted a Report of Waste Discharge (RWD) for a former burn site located in San Pasqual Valley, 6 miles east of Escondido. The RWD was deemed to be complete and the Regional Board staff recommends that the facility be enrolled in Order 97-11.

Additional information regarding each of the referenced facilities is included in the Staff Report (Attachment 3).

LEGAL CONCERNS: None

SUPPORTING Attachment 1: Location Map of Affected Facilities

DOCUMENTS: Attachment 2: Tentative Addendum No. 4 to Order No. 97-11

Attachment 3: Staff Report for Tentative Addendum No. 4 to

Order No. 97-11

Attachment 4. Notices of Public Hearing

Attachment 5: San Diego County Regional Airport Authority

Notice of Assumption of Responsibility

Attachment 6: Rainbow Canyon Property Deed Assignment

SIGNIFICANT

CHANGES:

None.

RECOMMENDATION: Regional Board staff recommends the Regional Board adopt

tentative Addendum No. 4 to Order No. 97-11.